

FACT SHEET

October 2021

ASHTABULA REGIONAL SEDIMENT MANAGEMENT, OH

Regional Sediment Management - Beneficial Use of Dredged Material Section 204 of the Water Resources Development Act of 1992, as amended Construction General (Continuing Authorities Program)

Location

Located on Lake Erie in the City of Ashtabula, Ashtabula County, Ohio

Project Description

- This authority evaluates the use of dredged material from new or existing Federal projects to
 protect, restore, or create aquatic and ecologically related habitats, including wetlands; to reduce
 storm damage to property, in connection with dredging for construction, operation, or
 maintenance of an authorized navigation project
- This project will create 16.5 acres of submerged aquatic habitat
- The creation of aquatic habitat using anchored logs and log tangles will increase the density and diversity of aquatic species
- Feasibility phase is 100% funded with federal capital. Design and Implementation phase is costshared 65% federal and 35% non-federal

Importance

- Project is a companion project of an on-going operations and maintenance (O&M) project
- There is a need to address Areas of Concern in the Great Lakes.
- The project will use multiple dredging years of material to complete.

Consequence

- The current Federal Standard is open lake placement and there are no other approved placement locations. The project anticipates utilizing all dredged material from scheduled dredging in 2021.
- Additionally, the project will use dredged material in 2023 and 2025.

Project Phase	Est. Fed. Cost of Phase	Federal Funding through FY21	FY22 Requirement	FY22 Budget	FY23 Requirement	FY23 Budget
Feasibility	\$1.057M	\$1.057M	\$0	\$0	\$0	NA
Design/Implementation	\$8.5M	\$6.35M	\$0	\$0	\$0	TBD

Project Sponsor/Customer

• Letter of Intent submitted by Port of Ashtabula dated 24 July 2019.

Congressional Interests

- Representative David Joyce R-OH-14
- Senator Rob Portman R-OH
- Senator Sherrod Brown D-OH

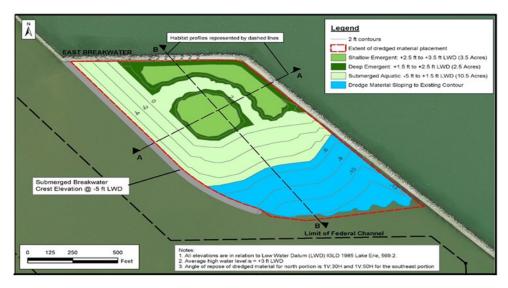
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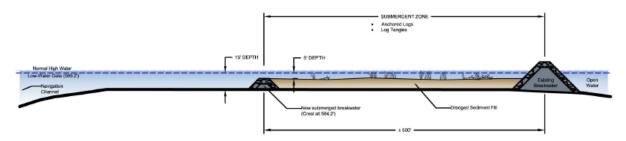
 The Contract to construct submerged stone completed in October 2021. The PDT is now working to determine what type of contract will be needed after first dredge placement.

Risks/Issues

Continuing to sync project with Dredging project.







Alternative Cross Section

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